

2022-2023 Assessment Calculator Policy

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The table below delineates calculators that may be used on the ILEARN mathematics assessments for specific student populations. Refer to the Accessibility and Accommodations Information for Statewide Assessments for additional details regarding available accommodations.

Mathematics Assessment	General Education Students	Students with IEPs, Section 504 Plans, Service Plans, and/or CSEPs
Grades 3-5	No calculator allowed.	No calculator allowed.
Grade 6	Online Desmos four-function calculator during calculator segments and performance tasks only.	Students may use a four-function handheld/adaptive calculator* if listed as an accommodation for calculator segments and performance tasks only.
		Students may use the Online Desmos four-function calculator and/or a handheld/adaptive calculator for all items if the case conference committee determines the accommodation is appropriate based on student needs as defined in IDOE's Accessibility and Accommodations Information for Statewide Assessment document.
Grades 7-8	Online Desmos scientific calculator during calculator segments and performance tasks only.	Students may use a scientific handheld/adaptive calculator if listed as an accommodation for calculator segments and performance tasks only.
		Students may use the Online Desmos scientific calculator and/or handheld/adaptive calculator for all items if the case conference committee determines the accommodation is appropriate based on student needs as defined in IDOE's Accessibility and Accommodations Information for Statewide Assessment document.

^{*}The Indiana Department of Education understands that four-function calculators may be difficult to procure, and those available for purchase may have additional features, such as percentage, positive/negative, or memory functions that do not provide additional benefit. Contact the Office of Student Assessment with questions regarding appropriate calculators for the assessment.

The following table delineates calculators that may be used on the ILEARN science assessments for specific student populations. Refer to the Accessibility and Accommodations Information for Statewide Assessments for additional details regarding available accommodations.

Science Assessment	General Education Students	Students with IEPs, Section 504 Plans, Service Plans, and/or CSEP
Grades 4 and 6	No calculator allowed.	Students may use the Online Desmos four-function calculator and/or a handheld/adaptive calculator for all items if the Case Conference Committee determines the accommodation is appropriate based on student needs.
Biology	No calculator allowed.	Students may use the Online Desmos scientific calculator and/or handheld/adaptive calculator for all items if the Case Conference Committee determines the accommodation is appropriate based on student needs.

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The online Desmos four-function calculator is provided through the test delivery system to all students during mathematics and science assessments.

Students may use a handheld or adaptive calculator along with or in place of the online calculator if listed as an accommodation in the student's IEP. Handheld or special calculators may not exceed the functionality of a four-function calculator.

SAT

IDOE administers College Board's SAT for high school accountability. The online Desmos graphing calculator is provided for all students for calculator-allowed questions only. A non-embedded (handheld) calculator may be used for some, but not all, mathematics sections. Review the directions in the College Board's Test Coordinator's Manual to ensure calculators are provided only when allowed, and refer to the College Board calculator policy for additional information regarding which calculators allowed for use with SAT.

<u>Additional Calculator Guidance for All Assessments:</u>

- Pocket organizers, handheld computers, laptop computers, digital tablets, electronic writing pads, phones, math applications, smart watches, and digital music players are prohibited for use as a calculator on all statewide assessments.
- The memory, stored programs, and applications in each personal calculator should be cleared before and after testing. Students should be told prior to the test day to store all software and data they wish to save on a computer or calculator not being used for the assessment.
- Sharing of calculators during a test session is prohibited.